



## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
 United States Patent and Trademark Office  
 Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450  
 www.uspto.gov

**\*BIBDATASHEET\***

CONFIRMATION NO. 7243

Bib Data Sheet

SERIAL NUMBER 10/767,444	FILING DATE 01/30/2004  RULE	CLASS 711	GROUP ART UNIT 2186	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. ASAM.0099
-----------------------------	---------------------------------------	--------------	------------------------	-------------------------------------

APPLICANTS

Xiaoming Jiang, Odawara, JAPAN;  
 Satoshi Yagi, Ooi, JAPAN;  
 Ikuya Yagisawa, Tokyo, JAPAN;

\*\* CONTINUING DATA \*\*\*\*\*  
 NONE *sm*

\*\* FOREIGN APPLICATIONS \*\*\*\*\*  
 JAPAN 2003-375166 11/05/2003  
 YES *sm*

IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED  
 \*\* 06/15/2004

Foreign Priority claimed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no 35 USC 119 (a-d) conditions met <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> Met after Allowance	STATE OR COUNTRY JAPAN	SHEETS DRAWING 10	TOTAL CLAIMS 15	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS 3
--	------------------------------	-------------------------	-----------------------	----------------------------

Verified and Acknowledged \_\_\_\_\_  
 Examiner's Signature Initials

ADDRESS  
 REED SMITH LLP  
 Suite 1400  
 310 Fairview Park Drive  
 Falls Church, VA  
 22042

TITLE  
 Disk array device and control method of disk array device

FILING FEE  RECEIVED 900	FEES: Authority has been given in Paper No. _____ to charge/credit DEPOSIT ACCOUNT No. _____ for following:	<input type="checkbox"/> All Fees <input type="checkbox"/> 1.16 Fees ( Filing ) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.17 Fees ( Processing Ext. of time ) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.18 Fees ( Issue ) <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Credit
-----------------------------------	---	---